MEMORANDUM

ATC Agenda Item No. 2(C)

TO:

Honorable Chairman Bruno A. Barreiro

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE:

May 17, 2007

FROM:

Murray A. Greenberg

County Attorney

SUBJECT:

Resolution directing County

Manager to prepare a report recommending how MDAD will reduce costs to airlines

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Commissioner Rebeca Sosa.

Murray A. Greenberg

County Attorney

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TO:

Honorable Chairman Bruno A. Barreiro

DATE:

June 5, 2007

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

FROM:

Murray A. Greenber

County Attorney

SUBJECT: Agenda Item No.

	Please note any items checked.
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	"4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
	6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
	4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
·	Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
	Budget required
	Statement of fiscal impact required
	Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
	Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
	Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
	No committee review

Approved _	Mayor	Agenda Item No.
Veto _		6-5-07
Override _		
	RESOLUTION NO.	

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO PREPARE A REPORT RECOMMENDING HOW THE MIAMIDADE AVIATION DEPARTMENT WILL REDUCE COSTS TO AIRLINES OPERATING AT MIAMI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (MIA) AND IMPROVE MIA'S COMPETITIVENESS

WHEREAS, implementing and financing Miami International Airport's ("MIA's") \$6.2 billion Capital Improvement Program ("CIP") has contributed to increasing the cost of doing business at MIA; and

WHEREAS, the forecasted Cost per Enplaned Passenger ("CEP") and the Landing Fee rate charged airlines are indicators of the financial health of MIA and are impacted by debt service requirements, Miami-Dade Aviation Department's ("MDAD's") annual operating costs, non-aeronautical revenue and the level of passenger enplanements, among other factors; and

WHEREAS, this Board desires that MDAD develop recommendations for reducing airlines' cost of doing business at MIA and enhancing MIA's competitiveness,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

Section 1. This Board directs the County Manager to prepare a report recommending how MDAD will reduce MIA's forecasted CEP and the Landing Fee rate including, but not limited to, reducing operating expenses, increasing non-aeronautical revenue, reducing overtime, reducing staff levels through attrition, investigating nontraditional revenue sources, and pursuing public-private investment opportunities.

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This Board further directs the County Manager to present the report to the Section 2. Aviation and Tourism Committee within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this resolution.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Rebeca Sosa and offered by Commissioner , who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by

Commissioner

and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Bruno A. Barreiro, Chairman Barbara J. Jordan, Vice-Chairwoman

Jose "Pepe" Diaz

Carlos A. Gimenez

Joe A. Martinez Dorrin D. Rolle

Katy Sorenson

Sen. Javier D. Souto

Audrey M. Edmonson

Sally A. Heyman

Dennis C. Moss

Natacha Seijas

Rebeca Sosa

The Chairman thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 5th day of June, 2007. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

> MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

Abigail Price-Williams